

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

In the Office Action, the Examiner allowed claims 1-22; objected to the drawings under 37 CFR 1.83(a); and objected to the drawings under 37 CFR 1.84(p)(5). Reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested based on the following remarks.

No amendments to the claims have been made. Claims 1-22 remain pending in this application.

OBJECTIONS TO THE DRAWINGS

Regarding the objection to the drawings under 37 CFR 1.83(a), proposed FIGS. 12A-12E are added and attached. Support for the FIGS. 12A-12E can be found in claim 1 and elsewhere. FIGS. 12A-12E show features addressing the phrases “forming a wirebond stud on an electrical contact surface located on a bottom surface of the optical device package” and “applying an adhesive material to the wirebond stud” as claimed in claim 1. Accordingly, amendments to the Specification have been made consistent with the proposed drawings.

Regarding the objection to the drawings under 37 CFR 1.84(p)(5), proposed changes to FIGS. 6A, 6B, 7A, 7B are included in the attached replacement sheet and indicated in red ink in the attached annotated sheet of drawing. Specifically, numeral “205” of FIG. 6A has been changed to “204” (e.g., wirebond studs), which is mentioned in the description.

It is respectfully submitted that the Examiner’s objections to the drawings have been fully addressed and that the drawings are in condition for acceptance.

SUMMARY

In the Office Action, the Examiner allowed claims 1-22. However, under *Ex Parte Quayle*, 1935 C.D. 11, 453 O.G. 213, the Examiner requested that formal matters regarding the drawings be corrected. Drawings have been added and amended to address the Examiner’s objections in the current Office Action. Additional amendments to the specification have also been made as a result of the added drawings. Should the Examiner believe that a telephone conference would expedite resolution of the formal matters in this application, the Undersigned can be reached at the telephone number set out below.

If any additional fees are due in connection with the filing of this Amendment, the Commissioner is authorized to deduct such fees from the undersigned's Deposit Account No. 500388 (Order No. NSC1P205D2).

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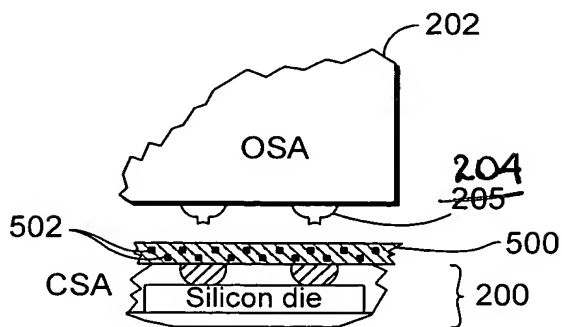


FIG. 6A

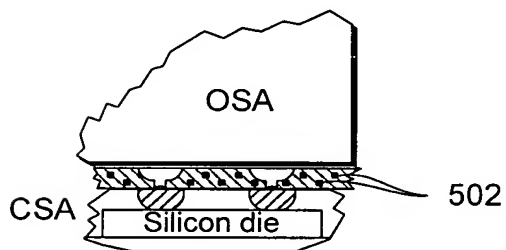


FIG. 6B

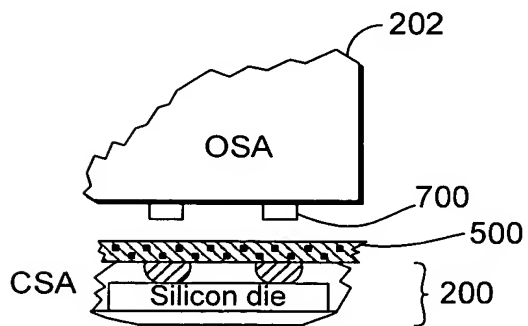


FIG. 7A

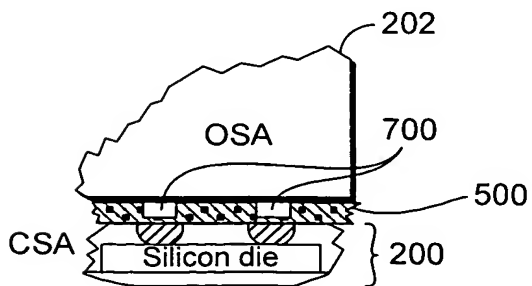


FIG. 7B